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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

| In re PATENT application of: | |) |
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| Takeshi FUKUNAGA et al. | |) |
| Serial No. 08/781,920 | |) Art Unit: 1762 |
| Filed: | December 30, 1996 |) Examiner: M. Padgett |
| For: | METHOD OF FABRICATING A |) |
| | SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICE |) ; |
| | UTILIZING A CATALYST |) . |
| | MATERIAL |) Date: April 21, 1999 |

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Honorable Assistant Commissioner for Patents

Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

It is requested that the time to take action in the above matter be extended for the time period indicated below:

| TIME REQUESTED FEE | | | |
|--------------------|----------|------|-----------|
| [] | 1 month | [X] | \$ 110.00 |
| [] | 2 months | [] | \$ 380.00 |
| [] | 3 months | [] | \$ 870.00 |
| [] | 4 months | [] | \$1360.00 |

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| [X] | The above-noted fee is [X] attached, [] to be charged to Deposit |
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| | Account No. 19-2380, under the above order number. |

- [X] Document(s) Attached:
 [X] Response, [] Notice of Appeal, [] Brief,
 [] Rule 1.53(d) Continued Prosecution Application (CPA),
 [] Other (identify).
- [X] The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be further required in this application, except the issue fee, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 19-2380, under the above order number. A <u>duplicate</u> of this sheet is attached.

Respectfully submitted,

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